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Thalia Tse
HR Business Partner, El Segundo Refinery
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Dear Ms. Tse,

I am writing to inform you of my resignation from my position as Instrumentation, Electrical, and Analyzer Reliability Team Leader, effective August 20, 2021. I appreciate all the opportunities you've given me during my time at Chevron Products Company, and the support I've received from the rest of the team.

If I can be of any assistance during the transition, please don't hesitate to ask. I'm always available for questions if need be.

Sincerely,

Mark Snookal

